# Negative Specimen Results Enabling Learning Objectives

1. **Select from a list which negative results you must receive.**
2. **Select from a list which negative results are sent to the counseling center.**

# Negative Specimen Results

**Note: For the purpose of this block of instruction the IBTC may be a National Guard State Program Manager/ADCO, MACOM ADCO, or Reserve command ADCO.**

- **The IBTC will receive the negative results from the FTDTL web portal.**

**Note: The electronic results from the DoD web portal along with the IBTC's suspense copy of the DD Form 2624 are sufficient for administrative action and non-judicial punishment.**

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- Many installations and commands follow a “No News is Good News” philosophy, which means if you don’t hear from us within 2 weeks, then assume that the specimens you collected were negative. Although this is acceptable, the preferred method is for installations and commands to notify all units of their test results.
- NOTE: Check with your IBTC, ADCO, or command for the specific negative reporting policy used.

# Negative Specimen Results

- Negative results from the following test basis codes are required to be reported back to the commander:
  - Probable Cause (PO)
  - Competence/Fitness for Duty/Command Direct (CO)
  - Rehabilitation (RO)

Note: RO specimens will also be reported to the counseling center.

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- Which ever method is used to notify your command of the negative results you need to:
  - Annotate the negative results on a copy of your Unit Ledger.
  - File the negative result ledgers for one year plus the current year.